

# The Bull Sheet

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Paul Bunyan Rifle and Sportsman's Club

Puyallup, WA

### **AUGUST MEETING NOTES**

Darrell Behounek will be temporarily taking over the position of assistant chief range safety officer from Larry Wilson while Larry is away on personal business.

The September hunter education class is full. We will be scheduling more classes soon, including on-line classes. Watch the <u>calendar</u> for the dates.

National Hunting and Fishing Day is coming up this month. <u>Tacoma Sportsman's Club</u> will be hosting the event this year on Saturday the 28<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 4pm. This is a **free** youth event sponsored by the <u>Washington Department of Wildlife</u>, with shooting, a fishing pond, casting practice, knot tying and lots of things to do for a day of fun.

### MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL TIME

Yep, it's that time of year again. This is your reminder that membership renewals are due by August 31st. To renew your club membership, use the renewal form in the printed BullSheet or get the form online <a href="here">here</a>. If you have any questions about membership, please contact membership secretary Ben LoCicero at 253-848-2204.

### HUNTER SIGHT-IN WORK PARTY

Marty Kotzke

We held our annual work party last Sunday. Marty Kotzke, Darrell Behounek, Bill Bizak, Duane Kupec, Melinda Behrman, Robert Nye, Gary Paterson, Al Richardson, and James Young came out to help. We built and repaired standard target frames, repaired some of the old large target frames, stapled targets, basically getting everything ready for sight-in. Thanks to all for your help.

### LIVE ROUNDS IN THE TRASH

Al Richardson

I ran into RSO Doug Nash, figuratively speaking of course, at the range Thursday while he was sorting thru trash cans. The reason I say sorting the trash is that he, and anyone else who empties the trash, has to sort thru the trash in order to pick out the live ammunition that members are throwing away instead of placing in the red "brass" containers on the firing lines. The practice of throwing live rounds into the trash creates a dangerous condition for them, those who haul the trash to the transfer station. and those working at the transfer station and landfill. If you have a dud, defective or unwanted round, please put it, along with your spent brass, in the red brass containers and not in the trash cans.

## STATE SOLDIERS HOME DAY AT THE RANGE REPORT

Marty Kotzke

I would like to thank Darrell Behounek and Mark Voigt for showing up to help me with the Soldiers Home Day. Things ran smoothly with their help. Thanks guys.

We had nine veterans show up for the shoot this month and all had a great time. All left with their targets to hang on the walls in their rooms. We had two veterans who were competing against each other and ended up with only on "x" shot difference between them.

We have one shoot left this year, September 17<sup>th</sup>, 1 to 3pm. If you have a couple of hours to help out, meet us at the pistol range. We have been having a good turn-out recently, so a few extra hands would be welcome.

### **ASI MATCH REPORT**

Jackie Russo August 25, 2019



Gentle summer morning breezes greeted the competitors at the 2<sup>nd</sup> Action Shooting International (ASI) as they gathered for a fun *Shoot and Move* Match. It was delightful to see familiar faces from past matches – and even more so – new faces joining us here at Paul Bunyan. We had nearly 30 % increase of new shooters – to include several couples and parent / adult child teams! All enjoying the opportunity to shoot a match together.

Some of our shooters took the unique opportunity that ASI offers to tryout their new Thunder Ranch .45 Revolver, another shot a stage strong hand only when it wasn't in the course of fire and another bumped out of their comfort zone – using their Beretta APX instead of her usual BUG! Down zeroes, anyone?

Once again – ASI allows opportunities for experienced shooters, as well as shooters moving up to *shoot and move*, to practice in a mild competitive climate.



Another positive trend is the increase in our lady competitors. We had 12 ladies making up more than 20% of sign ups. Ladies – if you feel comfortable in your pistol handling skills – make the decision to try out a match. You won't be solo on a squad and will have plenty of opportunity to meet other gals and learn from each other.

Once again – BIG Thank you to the people who make ASI possible at Paul Bunyan- without you we can't do it! Special recognition to IDPA's Birney Oxford for set-up and making all those targets; Steve Case for PracticeScore wizardry, Lars Liden for set up and stage mentoring, match director Joey Russo and Ladies Shooting League's beloved leader Christa Beasley for shepherding us this year.

As ASI evolves at Paul Bunyan – we continue to strive to make this a safe and fun event. Your feedback is appreciated and welcomed.

Our next matches are October 5<sup>th</sup> and December 7<sup>th</sup>. Checkout Paul Bunyan's website for more info on ASI, the Ladies Shooting League and calendar for more information.

## CBA BENCHREST RIFLE MATCH RESULTS

John Schauf

Here are the final results for our August 22nd CBA Bench Rest match. Thanks to everyone who attended and for all the help with storing the target stands. The weather was overcast but was warm enough to be comfortable and the wind was very light, a shooters delight. Our last match of the season will be September 26<sup>th</sup> at 9am.

Shooter	Class	100yd Agg	200yd Agg	Grand Agg
Schauf, John	PBB	200-7X	194-0X	394-7X
Ulrich, Roger	PBB	192-3X	191-1X	383-4X
Migliaccio, Mitch	PBB	179-2X	175-0X	354-2X
Conner, Steve	PBB	189-5X	163-0X	352-5X
Ulrich, Barbara	PBB	187-0X	151-0X	338-0X
Wilson, Dave	PBB	175-1X	162-1X	337-2X
Richardson, Al	PRO	192-2X	181-0X	373-2X
LoCicero, Ben	PRO	182-1X	184-0X	366-1X
Gardner, Alice	PRO	149-0X	164-0X	313-0X
Shellenberger, Doug	PRO	130-0X	140-0X	270-0X

PBB=plain base (no gas check) cast bullets PRO=commercial factory production rifles HVY=rifles weighing under 14lbs

## LADIES SHOOTING LEAGUE'S FIRST IDPA STATE MATCH

Jackie Russo

Tis a rare sighting at most IDPA matches, let alone at a State Championship match, as a squad of 5 women arrived to compete at 2019 Walther Arms Washington State IDPA Championship, August 10 – 11. Paul Bunyan's Ladies Shooting League took on the challenge of competing in 12 stages, spanning two days, at Onalaska's Firearms Academy of Seattle's (<a href="https://www.firearmsacademy.com">www.firearmsacademy.com</a>) private range.

For those unfamiliar, the International Defensive Pistol Association (IDPA) is a shooting sport geared towards the everyday concealed carrier. Participants shoot stages with 'real life' scenarios, protecting the 'lives' of cardboard targets all while trying to have a quickest time with accurate hits. Paul Bunyan's IDPA program has a monthly match every third Saturday.

For the past two years, several members of The League have competed together in local IDPA matches in the region. Honing their marksmanship skills, sharing stage strategy and inspiring each other at each match. On average the gals compete at least twice a month – either in IDPA &/or ASI (Action Shooting International) locally – in addition to the twice monthly Ladies Shooting League 'meetings' at Paul Bunyan's Pistol Range, where they practice pistol skills or have fun with shooting clever training targets. Competing at a State Championship level, has the potential for intimidation – but thru dedicated practice, camaraderie and grit they stayed true to the game. Working together they cheered and encouraged, not only themselves – but the lucky fellas who shared their squad. Even having a bit of fun at taping targets – or each other.

As the match wound down and scores were tabulated, the squad stayed together at lunch and shared their experiences and thoughts. Everyone agreed the match had some challenging stages; some were similar to stages previously shot so there was a familiarity; and the stage with the pick-up gun a Walther steel-framed Match 5 created some thought to stage strategy. All of this was punctuated with laughter and cheerfulness, of "we survived!" and target tape removal from backs and hats. But the

consensus was this match brought a sense of empowerment and confidence; taking on a new level of accomplishment bringing forth a thirst for more challenges or at least a sip in anticipation for next year's Washington State's IDPA Championship!

Representing the 2019 Paul Bunyan's Ladies Shooting League was: Jackie Russo (S&W MP 2.0); Carrie Parker (Dan Wesson Guardian .45 ACP); Emily Streich (Walther PPQ Match); Marsha Meehan (Walther PPQ Match); Vickie Jennings (Walther PPQ Match).

Additional information on the Ladies Shooting League or shooting disciplines hosted by Paul Bunyan – please visit the <u>website</u> or better yet, come join us on the range.

### **CARETAKERS REPORT**

Doug Shellenberger

Seems like the hot weather is keeping the range usage down. The range seems to be busy from 8 to 11am most mornings, but not many show up in the afternoon. The hot weather is also keeping the grass from growing much, but the weeds seem to be happy and are growing like, well, weeds.

Since we recently had five trees cut down, we have lots of firewood for sale at \$40 for a pick-up truck load. Bring your saw and have at it. The logs are behind the pistol range berm. Contact me at 253-846-6767 if you are interested in buying a truck load or two.

### **MEMBERSHIP**

The club would like to welcome 14 new members to the club. Edwardo Avelar, Peter Balogh, Daniel Benz, Jim Davis, Kevin Dore, Seth Dore, Kenneth Irish, Stephan Neal, Wyatt Olson, Alex Stanczyk, John Vetter, Vikram Virk, John Walker and Johnny Walker were voted into the club at the general meeting. Club membership now stands at 1356.

### **USED BRASS FOR SALE**

Darrell Behounek has <u>lots</u> of used brass for sale. He has most handgun calibers available as well as a lot of rifle calibers. Rifle brass is ten cents each and pistol brass is six cents each. The proceeds go to help the junior program. Give Darrell a call at 253-212-9976.

### CBA MILITARY MATCH RESULTS

Mitch Migliaccio August 10, 2019

Not a bad turn-out with 7 entries while the <u>CBA</u> Region 7 Regionals are going on down at Springfield, OR. Young Brandon is still doing nicely with that '91 Argie, and did a 100 yd 100-7x on his 2nd 100 yd bull. The kid's a comer, folks.

Our next match will be Saturday October 12<sup>th</sup>, and our last CBA/MR for the season is Nov 9th, but is contingent upon the weather. If it's decent when we get close to that date, we'll decide.

Shooter	Class	100yd Agg	200yd Agg	Grand Agg	
Mitch Migliaccio	ISS	191-8X	184-2X	375-10X 358-6X 358-4X	
Don Tolman	ISS	186-5X	172-1X		
Al Richardson	ISS	187-3X	171-1X		
Brandon Clark	MS	194-11X	196-9X	390-20X	
Steve Conner	MS	189-1X	191-5X	380-6X	
Ben LoCicero	MS	192-7X	178-3X	370-10X	
Mike Martinez	MS	185-4X	166-5X	351-9X	

ISS=issue-as issued military rifle, no modifications

MI=modified iron-modifications allowed to sights, trigger and stock MS= modified scope- modifications plus scopes allowed

#### **JUNIORS**

#### Doug Shellenberger

Last weekend, Tacoma Rifle and Revolver Club hosted a junior smallbore shooting camp. 18 juniors showed up for the day long camp.

Last Tuesday evening, we had 8 Boy Scouts, all of them girls, come to the range to give smallbore rifle shooting a try. This was in part to qualify to obtain their Boy Scout shooting badge. Several of them showed interest in the sport and talked about coming back to shoot with the juniors.

Club member Jim Chaffee has generously donated 7500 rounds of 22 ammunition to the junior club.

We have three of our junior shooters who qualified for club scholarships. Andrew Pham will be attending the University of Alaska at Fairbanks, Emma Goist is attending Cole College in Iowa and Alec Patajo will be attending Tacoma Community College.

We have openings for the junior program Tuesday nights. We open the gate at 6pm and are finished up around 8:30. If you have a youngster or a grandchild who would like to give smallbore shooting a try, bring them out any Tuesday evening.

### **PISTOL SILHOUETTE**

August 3, 2019 Bret Stuntebeck

We put 16 entries across the line this month. Temperatures were in the mid 50's when I arrived. The forecast for the day was sunny with no chance of rain. On to the results of the match.

No 40's this month. I posted a U-Int, 35, Richard Nicol posted a U-AAA, 35 and P-AAA, 26. In revolver Steve Bishop posted a R-AAA, 30. Alex Patajo, using one of Joe's XP's tried his hand at Unlimited posting a U-unclassified, 6.

Only one smallbore shooter this month. I posted a U-AAA, 36

Our target setter did a fantastic job again this month. Alex Patajo was kind enough to fill for one of our regular target setters that was out of town for the match. Thanks to all who came out to shoot the match and also to those who stayed to help pick up targets after the match.

Until next time shoot straight and be safe.

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Class	Name	Gun/Caliber	Score	Notes
P -AAA	Richard Nicol	TC: 357M	26	1st
В	Ron Craig	TC: 7TCU	17	1st NC B
R-AAA	Steve Bishop	FA:44M	30	1st
AA	Joe Stumpf, R	FA:357M	20	1st CB
U-INT	Bret Stuntebeck	XP-100: 6TCU	35	1st CB
AAA	Richard Nicol	TC: 7.62X39	36	1st
Α	Ron Craig	TC: 30H	29	1st
С	Alex Patajo NRA	XP-100 7TCU	6	1st NC:C
US-AAA	Bret Stuntebeck	TC: 7TCU	30	1st CB
HS				
UASHS- INT	Bret Stuntebeck	XP-100: 6BR	39	1st
UHS-AA	Steve Bishop	XP-100 7TCU	20	1st
С	Joe Stumpf, R	XP-100 7TCU	9	1st NC:C
SB				
U-AAA	Bret Stuntebeck	ANS: 22 LR	36	1st